As a licensed Amateur Radio Operator for approximately 55 years, I am very concerned about Power Line noise levels - particularly in the HF spectrum. I work CW very weak signal stations worldwide.

I have experienced power line noise requiring action from my local Power Company, Central Hudson P&L. In addition, I have experienced power line noise degrading my telephone line as well, reducing my Internet throughput to intolerable levels and requiring action by both my telephone company and power company.

Fortunately, these companies were and remain responsive to noise problems in my area. However, if Broadband RF is to become a licensed operation the RF noise on power lines will no longer be curable by the aforementioned Utilities.

I think this is a serious problem and hope that the FCC will not allow this proposal to go forward.

Respectfully,

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